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SUBJECT: MAPS OFR MINISTER OF PETROLEUM

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1. GEOGRAPHIC SPECIALIST WALTON DISCUSSED MINISTER OF PETROLEUM'S REQUEST FOR 1:250,000 SCALE TOPOGRAPHIC MAPS OF EGYPT DURING VISIT IN LATE AUGUST. MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM INFORMED HIM IT UNABLE TO PROVIDE ANY FURTHER MAPS IN EXCHANGE.

2. AS DEPARTMENT AWARE, MINPET HAS JUST AUTHORIZED RELEASE OF HYDROGRAPHIC CHARTS OF GULF OF SUEZ TO U.S. NAVY IN CONNECTION WITH U.S. NAVY HYDROGRAPHIC SURVEY OF APPROACHES TO SUEZ CANAL. MINISTRY HAS PROVED HELPFUL WHEN CIRCUMSTANCES ENABLE IT TO RESPOND. BELIEVE WE HAVE GONE AS FAR AS WE CAN AT THIS TIME IN TRYING TO EFFECT A FURTHER EXCHANGE.

3. BASED ON ABOVE, REQUEST DEPARTMENT AUTHORIZE DISPATCH OF EIGHT SETS OF TOPOGRAPHIC MAPS OF EGYPT AS REQUESTED BY MINPET. (NOTE: DAO DOES NOT RPT NOT POSSESS THE 1:250,000 SCALE TOPOGRAPHIC SHEETS ON EGYPT. WE HAVE, THEREFORE, REQUESTED THAT IN ADDITION TO SETS OFR THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM, SET BE SENT FOR EMBASSY/DAO USE.)

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4. WALTON CONCURS.
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